

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Shuler et al.

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Serial No.: 10/617,219

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For: PEDESTRIAN ENERGY ABSORBER

FOR AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is:
Amendment (8 pgs.), in response to Office Action dated April 7, 2004
Amendment Transmittal Form (3 pgs.), in duplicate

STATUS

Applicant claims small entity status.is other than a small entity.

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EXTENSION OF TERM

| 3. | The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. | | | | | | | | |
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| | 1.130 арр. | • | (b), as applicable) | | | | | | |
| | (a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:) | | | | | | | | |
| Exte | ension for r | response within: | Other than small entity Fee | Small entity Fee (if applicable) | | | | | |
| | | first month | \$ 110.00 | \$ 55.00 | | | | | |
| | | second month | \$ 420.00 | \$ 210.00 | | | | | |
| | | third month | \$ 950.00 | \$ 475.00 | | | | | |
| | | fourth month | \$1,480.00 | \$ 740.00 | | | | | |
| | | fifth month | \$2,010.00 | \$1,005.00 | | | | | |
| | | | Fee Due | \$ | | | | | |
| If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor. (Check and complete the next item, if applicable) | | | | | | | | | |
| An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. | | | | | | | | | |
| Extension fee due with this request \$ | | | | | | | | | |
| OR | | | | | | | | | |
| (b) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility to applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for of time. | | | | | | | | | |

FEE FOR CLAIMS

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below: 4.

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| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | ADDITIONAL. RATE FEE | OR | ADDITIONAL RATE FEE |
| TOTAL | | MINUS | | = | x \$9 = \$ | | x \$18 = \$ |
| INDEP. | | MINUS | | = | x \$43 = \$ | | x \$86 = \$ |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | + \$145 = \$ | | + \$290 = \$ | |
| | | | | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$ | OR | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$ | |

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| | | | | | | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$ | OR | TOTAL ADDITIONA FEE \$ |
| | (a) | | No add | itional fee for | r Claims is | required | | |
| | | | | | OR | | | |
| | (b) | | Total ad | dditional fee | for claims r | equired \$ | | |
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| 5. | Attached is a check in the sum of \$ | | | | | | | |
| Charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384 the sum of \$ A duplicate of this transmittal is attached. | | | | | | | | |
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| 6. | If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No 01-2384. | | | | | | it Account No. | |
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